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TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF STAINLESS STEEL BAR FROM KOREA (A-580-847)

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TO: DIRECTORS OF FIELD OPERATIONS PORT DIRECTORS

FROM: DIRECTOR, TRADE ENFORCEMENT & CONTROL

RE: FINAL DETERMINATION IN THE ANTIDUMPING INVESTIGATION OF STAINLESS STEEL BAR FROM KOREA (A-580-847)

- 1. ON JANUARY 23, 2002, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PUBLISHED IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER ITS FINAL DETERMINATION OF SALES AT LESS THAN FAIR VALUE IN THE ANTIDUMPING DUTY INVESTIGATION OF STAINLESS STEEL BAR FROM KOREA.
- 2. FOR PURPOSES OF THIS INVESTIGATION, THE TERM "STAINLESS STEEL BAR" INCLUDES ARTICLES OF STAINLESS STEEL IN STRAIGHT LENGTHS THAT HAVE BEEN EITHER HOT-ROLLED, FORGED, TURNED, COLD-DRAWN, COLD-ROLLED OR OTHERWISE COLD-FINISHED, OR GROUND, HAVING A

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UNIFORM SOLID CROSS SECTION ALONG THEIR WHOLE LENGTH IN THE SHAPE OF CIRCLES, SEGMENTS OF CIRCLES, OVALS, RECTANGLES (INCLUDING SQUARES), TRIANGLES, HEXAGONS, OCTAGONS, OR OTHER CONVEX POLYGONS. STAINLESS STEEL BAR INCLUDES COLD-FINISHED STAINLESS STEEL BARS THAT ARE TURNED OR GROUND IN STRAIGHT LENGTHS, WHETHER PRODUCED FROM HOT-ROLLED BAR OR FROM STRAIGHTENED AND CUT ROD OR

WIRE, AND REINFORCING BARS THAT HAVE INDENTATIONS, RIBS, GROOVES, OR OTHER DEFORMATIONS PRODUCED DURING THE ROLLING PROCESS.

EXCEPT AS SPECIFIED ABOVE, THE TERM DOES NOT INCLUDE STAINLESS STEEL SEMI-FINISHED PRODUCTS, CUT LENGTH FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS (I.E., CUT LENGTH ROLLED PRODUCTS WHICH IF LESS THAN 4.75 MM IN THICKNESS HAVE A WIDTH MEASURING AT LEAST 10 TIMES THE THICKNESS, OR IF 4.75 MM OR MORE IN THICKNESS HAVING A WIDTH WHICH EXCEEDS 150 MM AND MEASURES AT LEAST TWICE THE THICKNESS), PRODUCTS THAT HAVE BEEN CUT FROM STAINLESS STEEL SHEET, STRIP OR PLATE, WIRE (I.E., COLD-FORMED PRODUCTS IN COILS, OF ANY UNIFORM SOLID CROSS SECTION ALONG THEIR WHOLE LENGTH, WHICH DO NOT CONFORM TO THE DEFINITION OF FLAT-ROLLED PRODUCTS), AND ANGLES, SHAPES AND SECTIONS.

THE STAINLESS STEEL BAR SUBJECT TO THIS INVESTIGATION IS CURRENTLY CLASSIFIABLE UNDER SUBHEADINGS 7222.11.00.05, 7222.11.00.50, 7222.19.00.05, 7222.20.00.05, 7222.20.00.45, 7222.20.00.75, AND 7222.30.00.00 OF THE HARMONIZED TARIFF SCHEDULE OF THE UNITED STATES ("HTSUS"). ALTHOUGH THE HTSUS SUBHEADINGS ARE PROVIDED FOR CONVENIENCE AND CUSTOMS PURPOSES, THE WRITTEN DESCRIPTION OF THE SCOPE OF THIS INVESTIGATION IS DISPOSITIVE.

- 3. FOR FURTHER REPORTING PURPOSES THIS CASE HAS BEEN ASSIGNED INVESTIGATION NUMBER A-580-847.
- 4. FOR IMPORTS OF STAINLESS STEEL BAR FROM KOREA, THE CUSTOMS SERVICE SHALL CONTINUE TO SUSPEND LIQUIDATION OF SUCH SHIPMENTS THAT ARE ENTERED OR WITHDRAWN FROM WAREHOUSE, FOR CONSUMPTION ON

OR AFTER JANUARY 23, 2002. EFFECTIVE JANUARY 23, 2002, SHALL
REQUIRE, FOR SUCH ENTRY SUMMARIES, A CASH DEPOSIT OR THE POSTING
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OF A BOND EQUAL TO THE MARGINS SHOWN BELOW:

MFR/PRODUCER CUSTOMS ID MARGIN EXPORTER NUMBER PERCENTAGE

CHANGWON SPECIALTY

STEEL CO., LTD. A-580-847-001 13.38

DONGBANG INDUSTRIAL

CO., LTD. A-580-847-002 4.75

ALL OTHERS A-580-847-000 11.30

5. IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS MATTER BY CUSTOMS OFFICERS, PLEASE CONTACT, VIA E-MAIL, THROUGH THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY CHANNELS, OTHER GOVERNMENT AGENCY LIAISON, USING ATTRIBUTE "HQ OAB". THE IMPORTING PUBLIC AND OTHER INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD CONTACT SOPHIE CASTRO OF THE IMPORT ADMINISTRATION,

INTERNATIONAL TRADE ADMINISTRATION, U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, OFFICE OF AD/CVD ENFORCEMENT, GROUP I, OFFICE 2, AT (202) 482-0588.

6. THERE ARE NO RESTRICTIONS ON THE RELEASE OF THIS INFORMATION.

PAUL SCHWARTZ

Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party

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